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5 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
6 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
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8 LISA WASHINGTON,

No. C 06-5692 SI

9 Plaintiff,

**ORDER DENYING DEFENDANT  
DECKER'S APPLICATION TO  
PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS***

10 v.

11 ALAMEDA COUNTY SOCIAL SERVICES  
12 AGENCY,

13 Defendant.  
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15 Defendant Decker has filed an application to proceed *in forma pauperis*. The Court informs  
16 defendant that, as a defendant, he is not required to pay any filing fees. Accordingly, the Court DENIES  
17 defendant's application as unnecessary. (Docket No. 61).

18 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**  
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20 Dated: April 27, 2007  
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23 SUSAN ILLSTON  
24 United States District Judge  
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